

County of Los Angeles Department of Mental Health

Student Professional Development Program

2015-2016 Academic Year

Complete this form for each discipline to be placed at this agency:

Service
Area

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Psychology

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Practicum

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Externship

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Internship

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Social Work

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Specialization : Mental Health

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Macro/Administrative

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Nursing

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Marriage Family Therapist

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Occupational Therapy

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Other (specify): _____

DMH Agency:	Hollywood Mental Health Center
DMH Agency Address:	1224 N. Vine St. Los Angeles, CA 90038
DMH Agency Liaison:	Vianney Vazquez, LCSW
New or Returning:	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New <input type="checkbox"/> Returning
Liaison Email Address:	vvazquez@dmh.lacounty.gov
Liaison Phone Number:	323-769-6188
Liaison Fax Number:	323-769-6197
Agency ADA accessible	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "No" identify:

Student Requirements:

How many positions will you have?	4 (2 nd year placements only)
Beginning and ending dates:	Academic School Year

Student Schedule:

<i>Please indicate days and times students should be available to provide services, including mandatory staff meetings (SM), training seminars (TR), supervision (SUP), etc.</i>	
Monday	8:00 AM – 4:30 PM
Tuesday	8:00 AM – 4:30 PM
Wednesday	8:00 AM – 4:30 PM (SM)
Thursday	8:00 AM – 4:30 PM
Friday	8:00 AM – 4:30 PM

Total hours expected to be worked per week:	16 – 24, depending on school requirements
Number of direct client hours per week anticipated:	10 max
Expected average consumer caseload:	N/A
What cultural groups typically received services at your site?	Extremely diverse population

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Description of Site: *(Please describe the type of Agency setting and services offered)*

Adult outpatient clinic serving the Hollywood area. We work with adults 18 and older who are living with mental illness and/or recent or might need a short term counseling. We provide medication services, case management, group therapy and crisis management.

Target population and types of services provided: *(please check all that apply)*

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Individuals	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Psychoeducational groups (e.g. Parenting)
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Groups	<input type="checkbox"/> Community Outreach
<input type="checkbox"/> Families	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Brief treatment to mid-term treatment
<input type="checkbox"/> Children & Adolescents	<input type="checkbox"/> Long term treatment
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adults	<input type="checkbox"/> Crisis Intervention
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Older Adults	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Screening and Assessment
<input type="checkbox"/> Court/Probation referred	<input type="checkbox"/> Psych Testing <i>(For psychology students only)</i>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Consultation/Liaison	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <i>(specify):</i> Veterans

What are the most frequent diagnostic categories of your client population?

Schizophrenia, Bipolar & Major Depressive Disorder, Co-Occurring Substance Abuse/Dependence and Anxiety.

What specific (perhaps unique) training opportunities do students have at your agency?

Students get to learn from multidisciplinary team & take part in several different programs.

What evidence based practices or theoretical orientations will students be exposed to at this site?

Cognitive Behavioral Therapy, Cycle Dynamic, Strength-Based, Mindfulness, and Harm Reduction.

Do students have the opportunity to work in a multidisciplinary team environment that includes those with lived experience?

Yes, social workers, psychologists, psychiatrists, nurses, medical case workers & administrative staff.

List locations where students will be providing services **other than agency?**

Service deliver for this out-patient clinic occurs at the agency.
FSP location 947 Cole Ave., LA, CA 90038.

Does your agency allow students to videotape and/or audiotape clients for the purpose of presenting cases in their academic classes? Yes ☐ No ☒

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Supervision:

What types of supervision will be provided for the students and what is the licensure/discipline of the supervisor? Please specify below.

Type	Hours Per Week	On Site Supervisor Degree/Discipline
Individual:	1 hour per student	LCSW 27451
Group:	Every other week – 1 hour	LCSW 27451

What is the minimum ratio of supervision to client contact hours?

Does your agency require a particular range of previous experience or specific prerequisite coursework? If so please explain.

Yes, we take second year placements only. We want students who have completed MSW coursework already and who have also completed their first year placement.

Agency Application Process

Mandatory requirements: Only students from academic institutions who have a current affiliation agreement with the Los Angeles County Department of Mental Health may be extended a placement opportunity. All students are processed through Human Resources Bureau. All prospective interns must obtain live scan clearance. All interns are required to complete a mandatory HIPAA Compliance and Sexual Harassment Prevention Training (for line staff) as part as the terms of their internship.

DMH Staff completing this form: Vianney Vazquez Title: MH Clinical Sup.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Program Head: Barbara Engleman Phone #: _____

District Chief: _____ Phone #: _____

Electronic Signature: Vianney Vazquez Date: 03/25/2015